

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 13, 14, 19, 23, 24 and 29 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 1, 6, 11, 12, 15, 16 and 18 as follows.

1. (Currently Amended) A display apparatus displaying images from a plurality of information processing apparatuses, comprising:

image inputting means for inputting respective image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses;

display controlling means for constructing on a display screen display regions in which respective images corresponding to the image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses are displayed;

inputting means for inputting a signal containing coordinate information corresponding to a position on the display screen;

determining means for determining an information processing apparatus to which converted information is sent, based on the input signal inputted by said inputting means; and

means for sending the converted information to the information processing apparatus determined by said determining means, wherein the converted information is converted from the coordinate information such that the information processing apparatus determined by said determined means can use the converted information as coordinate

information without using information indicating where the display region in which the image signal outputted by the information processing apparatus determined by said determining means is positioned on the display screen, wherein

said inputting means is positioned over a display surface of the display screen.

2. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said determining means determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the coordinate on said display screen indicated by the input signal.

3. (Original) The display apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said display controlling means displays on a first display region an image signal from a first information processing apparatus, and displays on a second display region at least one image signal from a second information processing apparatus in the first display region.

4. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said display controlling means divides said display screen into screens, the number of which is equal to the number of the plurality of information processing apparatuses, to construct display regions in which respective image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses are displayed.

Claim 5. (Cancelled).

6. (Currently Amended) A method for controlling a display apparatus displaying images from a plurality of information processing apparatuses, comprising:

- an image inputting step of inputting respective image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses:
- a display controlling step of constructing on a display screen display regions in which respective images corresponding to the image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses are displayed;
- an inputting step of inputting a signal containing coordinate information corresponding to a position on the display screen by use of a signal inputting device;
- a determining step of determining an information processing apparatus to which converted information is sent, based on the input signal inputted in said inputting step;
- and
- a communicating and converting step of sending the converted information to the information processing apparatus determined in said determining step, wherein the converted information is converted from the coordinate information such that the determined information processing apparatus can use the converted information as coordinate information without using information indicating where the display region in which the image signal outputted by the determined information processing apparatus is positioned on the display screen; and

positioning the signal inputting device over a display surface of the display screen.

7. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, wherein in said determining step, an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent is determined, based on the coordinate on the display screen indicated by the input signal.

8. (Original) The method according to claim 6, wherein in said display controlling step, an image signal from a first information processing apparatus is displayed on a first display region, and at least one image signal from a second information processing apparatus is displayed on a second display region in the first display region.

9. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, wherein in said display controlling step, the display screen is divided into screens, the number of which is equal to the number of the plurality of information processing apparatuses, to construct display regions in which respective image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses is displayed.

Claim 10. (Cancelled).

11. (Currently Amended) A program for making a computer perform control of a display apparatus displaying images from a plurality of information processing apparatuses, comprising:

a program code of an image inputting step of inputting respective image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses;

a program code of a display controlling step of constructing on a display screen display regions in which respective images corresponding to the image signals from the plurality of information processing apparatuses are displayed;

a program code of an inputting step of inputting, by a signal inputting device positioned over a display surface of the display screen, a signal containing coordinate information corresponding to a position on the display screen;

a program code of a determining step of determining an information processing apparatus to which converted information is sent, based on the input signal inputted in said inputting step; and

a program code of a communicating and converting step of sending the converted information to the information processing apparatus determined in said determining step, wherein the converted information is converted from the coordinate information such that the predetermined information processing apparatus can use the converted information as coordinate information without using information indicating where the display region in which the image signal outputted by the predetermined information processing apparatus is positioned on the display screen.

12. (Currently Amended) A display apparatus performing display based on a first image signal, which is an image signal from a first information processing apparatus that performs a predetermined information processing based on a coordinate signal representing a predetermined position on a screen displayed on the basis of a signal outputted by the first information processing apparatus, and a second image signal, which is an image signal from a second information processing apparatus that performs a predetermined information processing based on a coordinate signal representing a predetermined position on the screen displayed on the basis of a signal outputted by the second information processing apparatus, the display apparatus comprising:

- a receiving circuit receiving said first image signal and said second image signal;

- a coordinate information receiving circuit receiving signals from a coordinate input device that transforms into a signal an indicated position on a display surface on which a screen based on said first image signal and a screen based on said second image signal are displayed;

- a circuit for converting the signal inputted from the coordinate input device into the converted coordinate information; and

- a communication circuit sending the converted information to the information processing apparatus,

- wherein the converted information sent to the first information processing apparatus has coordinate information which can be used in said first information

processing apparatus without using information indicating where the screen based on said first image signal is positioned on the display surface, and the converted information sent to the second information processing apparatus has coordinate information which can be used in said second information processing apparatus without using information indicating where the screen based on said second image signal is positioned on the display surface, and

further comprising said coordinate input device positioned over a display surface of said screen.

Claims 13 and 14. (Cancelled).

15. (Currently Amended) The display apparatus according to claim ~~13~~ 12, wherein said coordinate input device electrically or optically reads the indicated position on said display surface.

16. (Currently Amended) The display apparatus according to claim ~~14~~ 12, wherein said coordinate input device electrically or optically reads the indicated position on said display surface.

17. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 12, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, according to information that is given externally.

18. (Currently Amended) The display apparatus according to claim ~~13~~ 12, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, according to information that is given externally.

Claim 19. (Cancelled).

20. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 15, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, according to information that is given externally.

21. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 16, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, according to information that is given externally.

22. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 12, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

Claims 23 and 24. (Cancelled).



25. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 15, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

26. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 16, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

27. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 17, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

28. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 18, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

Claim 29. (Cancelled).

30. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 20, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

31. (Previously Presented) The display apparatus according to claim 21, wherein said determination circuit determines an information processing apparatus to which the input signal is sent, based on the input signal.

Claim 32. (Cancelled).